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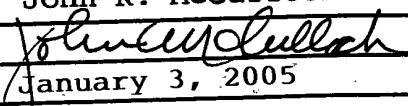
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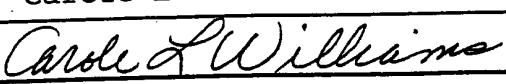
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In response to the Advisory Action dated October 19, 2004 applicant requested, and was granted, an interview on December 28, 2004. Examiner Griles was unable to attend the interview, but Supervisory Examiner Peter M. Poon conducted the interview. The courtesy of Mr. Poon in conducting the interview is appreciated.

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